# Traumatic Brain Injury Advisory Board Board Meeting Minutes November 8, 2017

# Attendees:

| <u>Name</u>                               | <u>Representing</u> | <u>Attended</u>   |
|---|---------------------|-------------------|
| Baldwin, Jeronica                         | Guest               | Yes               |
| Bastinelli, Sandra                        | Individual with TBI | Yes               |
| Berlow, Bob                               | MDLC                | Yes (by phone)    |
| Cadenhead, Larry                          | Family Member       | Yes               |
| Carny, Joan                               | BIAM                | Yes               |
| Danzler, Joyce                            | Injury Prevention   | Yes               |
| De Pinto, Cheryl                          | Guest               | Yes               |
| Eastman, Jennifer                         | MDOD                | Yes               |
| Edmonston, Anastasia                      | Guest               | Yes               |
| Elinoff, Laurie                           | Individual with TBI | Yes               |
| Foxwell, Raymond                          | Law Enforcement     | Yes               |
| Gallagher, Amanda                         | Professional        | Yes               |
| Harman, Pamela                            | Professional        | Yes (by phone)    |
| Hartman, Paul                             | Individual with TBI | Yes (by phone)    |
| Helfrich, Marny                           | MSDE                | Yes               |
| Kerrigan, Martin                          | BIAM                | Yes               |
| Marion, Nikisha                           | Staff/BHA           | Yes               |
| O'Dea, Stefani                            | ВНА                 | Yes               |
| Mezu, Alicia                              | Guest               | Yes               |
| Parson, Sade                              | Guest               | Yes               |
| Rhinehart Mello, Catherine                | Guest               | Yes               |
| Rivera, Linnette                          | MDOD                | Yes               |
| Ruff, Melissa                             | Family Member       | Yes               |
| Schoenbrodt, Lisa                         | Professional        | Yes               |
| Starr, Caitlin                            | Guest               | Yes               |
| Synovec, Caitlin                          | Guest               | Yes               |
| Waldstreicher, Delegate Jeff (ex-officio) | General Assembly    | Dwayne (by phone) |
| Weaver, Buddy                             | Family Member       | Yes               |

#### Absentees:

| Boone, Judy                 | DORS          | Mays, Carole                    | MIEMSS              |
|-----------------------------|---------------|---------------------------------|---------------------|
| Cernich, Alison (exofficio) | NIH           | Peterson, Keisha                | OGCSHCN             |
| Eisenberg, Norma            | Family Member | Pugh, Brian                     | BIAM                |
| Farmer, Denise              | OHS           | King, Senator Nancy (exofficio) | General Assembly    |
| Furman, Janet               | DDA           | Walker-Pittman, Adrienne        | Individual with TBI |
| Hutchinson-Troyer,<br>Linda | BIAM          |                                 |                     |
| Lauterbach, Margo           | Professional  |                                 |                     |
| Mosko, Raymond              | Family Member |                                 |                     |

## I. <u>Call to order:</u>

Meeting was called to order at 1:10 and meeting attendees introduced themselves.

#### II. Approval of Meeting Minutes:

A motion was made to approve the September meeting minutes. The motion was seconded and unanimously approved.

### III. S.A.F.E. Subcommittee:

S.A.F.E. discussed the following:

- Add a standing agenda item to discuss "parking lot" issues in the Annual Report.
- Include a requirement in future annual reports that all hospitals in the state provide resources about brain injury
- Include an update on the Strategic Plan once a year in January

### IV. Partner Sharing:

Linn Rivera shared about her role at MDOD. Linn will be leaving the Board and introduced Jennifer Eastman as her replacement.

Joyce Danzler described the programs and functions of the Center for Injury and Sexual Assault Prevention for the Maryland Department of Health.

### V. Guest Speakers:

Alicia Mezu from MDSE and Cheryl De Pinto, School Health Services Team, gave a presentation on students with brain injury. Handouts will be disseminated via email.

# VI: Annual TBI Advisory Board Report Status:

A draft copy of the Annual Report has been submitted to the relevant offices for approval. Stefani suggested that the Board have a person who is not familiar with brain injury review the report to get a different perspective.

## VII: 2018 Meetings:

January 10<sup>th</sup>, March TBD, May 9<sup>th</sup>, July 11<sup>th</sup>, September 5<sup>th</sup>, and November 14th, 1-3 p.m. at MDOT. SAFE Committee meets at noon.

VIII: Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 3:01.

## **Summary of Action Steps:**

| Topic  | Discussion                                | Action to be Taken Responsible   |                       | Planned<br>Completion     |
|--|---|--|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| Executive<br>Committee                                 |   | Form an Executive<br>Committee   | Board chair and staff | November 2016             |
| Partner Sharing<br>Follow-up                           |   | Presentation on ABLE Account   | Anne<br>Blackfield    | At future Board meeting   |
| Data on Lost Wages                                     |   | Reach out to Linda<br>Raines of Brain<br>Futures                               | Linn<br>Rivera        |                           |
| Link between brain injury and opioid addiction summary |   |  | Stacia                |                           |
| 5 <sup>th</sup> Recommendation<br>re: TBI Registry     |   |  | Bryan                 |                           |
| Standing Agenda<br>Item                                | Parking Lot<br>Issues in Annual<br>Report |  |                       | All future Board meetings |
| Strategic Plan   | _   | Update on Strategic<br>Plan goals  |                       | Every January             |
| Annual Report<br>Review                                |   | Have a person who is<br>not familiar with brain<br>injury review the<br>report | All Board members     |                           |